



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Confirmation No.: 1605
Tadahiro OHMI et al. Group Art Unit: 1763
Application No.: 09/864,376 Examiner: Rudy ZERVIGON
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For: PLASMA PROCESSING APPARATUS AND PLASMA PROCESSING METHOD

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated January 11, 2007 finally rejecting claims 1-9, 12-14 and 16-26.

The \$500.00 Appeal Fee is attached.

The shortened statutory period expiring on April 11, 2007, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for three months. Also included in our check is \$1,020.00 as payment of the fee for a three month extension of time for filing this Notice of Appeal.

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